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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants submit this Supplemental Amendment to correct a typographical error made in Applicants' Preliminary Amendment dated October 9, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 17 as follows:

17. A recording sheet according to claim 16 wherein the aluminum oxide/hydroxide contains one or more of the elements with atomic number 57 to [57] 71 in a total amount of 0.04 to 4.2 mole percent relative to  $Al_2O_3$ .

This amendment is merely to correct a typographical error. Support for this amendment is found in the specification at page 5, lines 34-37. No new matter has been introduced by this Amendment. A clean version of this amendment is submitted herewith. It is now believed claims 1-19 are in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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